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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate);
- (3) Amendment (9 pages); and
- (4) Declaration of Sam Kao under 37 CFR 1.132 (3 pages).

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated November 3, 2004, please amend this application as shown below.

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Attachments: Declaration of Sam Kao under 37 CFR 1.132